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In re Patent Application of:

Donald S. Curtis

- Application No.: 10/079,017

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following items for filing in connection with the above-referenced Patent Application:

- Fee Transmittal;
- Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (in duplicate);
- Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application; 3.
- Declaration for Patent Application;
- Power of Attorney; 5.
- Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) with a copy of the Assignment;

It is not believed that extensions of time fees are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740, under Docket No. 016762.501-US02. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: June 12, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

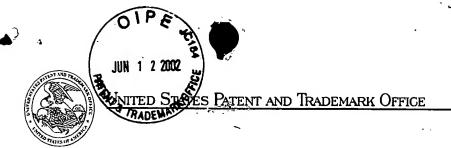
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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

Items Required To Avoid Processing Delays:

The item(s) indicated below are also required and should be submitted with any reply to this notice to avoid further processing delays.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

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Patent fees are subject to annual revision.		First Named Inventor				Donald S. Curtis		
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Application claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27	Group Art Unit					2171		
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